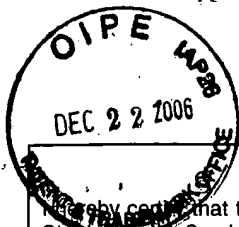


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Sir:

This response is being filed responsive to a restriction requirement mailed on November 21, 2006, making this paper due on December 21, 2006. This paper is timely filed.

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